

Sewerage and Brick Laying Works in East Delhi Colonies

1688. SHRI SIMON MARANDI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the sewerage and brick laying work has not been completed so far in many dwellings units/colonies of Eastern Delhi;

(b) if so, the number of colonies/dwellings units where such work is likely to be completed during the current year and the reasons for delay;

(c) whether there is no arrangement for drainage during the rainy season in Western Vinod Nagar and its adjoining areas, as a result of which the residents of these areas have to face a great difficulty;

(d) the time by which proper arrangements of sewerage, brick laying and drainage is likely to be made in these areas; and

(e) the details of work done during the last three years in this regard?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF URBAN DEVELOPMENT (SHRI M. ARUNACHALAM): (a) and (b) The Delhi Water Supply and Sewage Disposal Undertaking have reported that sewerage services have been provided in 16 out of 252 unauthorised/regularised colonies located in Eastern Delhi. An action plan has been drawn upto 1994-95 to cover 93 such colonies in phased manner and the work of providing sewerage system is likely to be completed in 26 colonies in the current year. The Municipal Corporation of Delhi has reported that brick laying work is a continuing work and is already in progress/completed in trans-Yamuna area. Generally, the work is taken up in the following areas:—

(a) All approved colonies

(b) All the roads under MCD

(c) All the Nallas under MCD

(d) Regularised unauthorised colonies

(e) Rural Villages

(f) Resettlement colonies

(g) Urban Villages

(h) Any other sanctioned schemes

Information on number of colonies/roads where brick laying is in progress will be collected and laid on the Table of the House.

(c) and (d) During heavy rains, sanitary conditions deteriorate as the drains have only sullage carrying capacity. The development of Storm Water Drains has not been taken up so far. Western Vinod Nagar is an unauthorised regularised colony surrounded by unauthorised colonies. Sewerage, brick laying and drainage system are provided in phases and no time frame can be given. However tender action has been initiated for laying internal sewers.

(e) The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the Sabha.

[English]

Notices by DWS and SDW for Development Charges in TRI Nagar

1689. DR. KRUPASINDHU BHOI: Will the Minister of URBAN DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Delhi Water Supply and Sewage Disposal Undertaking has served notices arbitrarily to the residents of Tri Nagar for the payment of sewerage development charges;

(b) if so, the number of notice served;

(c) whether the notices have also been issued to such persons who had already made the payment 10-15 years back while getting the sewer connection;